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GA PLENARY--DISARMAMENT, DECOLONIZATION

GA DEC. 9 ADOPTED 21 PROPOSALS ON ISSUES RELATED TO DISARMAMENT WHICH WERE RECOMMENDED BY COMITE 1, AND HEARD STATEMENTS ON DECOLONIZATION BY REPS OF SIERRA LEONE, GDR, AUSTRALIA, HUNGARY, CANADA, IRAN AND CHILE.

COMITE 1 RECOMMENDATIONS WERE APPROVED AS FOLLOWS: RES ON REDUCTION OF MILITARY BUDGETS OF PERMANENT SC MEMBERS BY 10 PERCENT AND UTILIZATION OF PART OF FUNDS TO ASSIST LDC'S--99-2(ALBANIA, CHINA)-12(BLOC, FRANCE, CUBA, PARAGUAY). RES ON NAPALM AND OTHER INCENDIARY WEAPONS IN TWO PARTS: A) INVITING DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE ON REAFFIRMATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW TO CONTINUE CONSIDERATION OF USE OF NAPALM AND OTHER INCENDIARY WEAPONS--108-0-13(BLOC, FRANCE, ISRAEL, UK, US); AND B) CONDEMNING USE OF NAPALM AND INVITING GOVTS, ICRC AND SPECIALIZED AGENCIES TO TRANSMIT TO SYG ALL INFO ABOUT USE OF NAPALM AND OTHER INCENDIARY WEAPONS IN ARMED CONFLICTS--99-0-26(US, UK, 13 OTHER WEOS, 9 BLOC, ISRAEL, JAPAN). ALSO RESES RELATING TO: EFFECTIVE PROHIBITION OF DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCTION AND STOCKPILING OF ALL CHEMICAL WEAPONS AND ELIMINATION OF ARSENALS--WITHOUT VOTE; URGENT NEED FOR CESSATION OF NUCLEAR AND THERMONUCLEAR TESTS AND CONCLUSION OF TREATY DESIGNED TO ACHIEVE COMPREHENSIVE TEST BAN--95-3(ALBANIA, CHINA, FRANCE)--33(10 BLOC, ALGERIA, BELGIUM, BURUNDIA, CAR, CONGO, CUBA, DPRY, EQUATORIAL GUINEA, FRG, GUINEA, GUINEA BISSAU, IRAQ, MADAGASCAR, MALAWI, MAURITANIA, PAKISTAN, PORTUGAL, UAE, UK, US, ZAIRE); URGING USSR TO SIGN AND RATIFY ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL II OF TREATY OF TLATELOLCO--114-0-15(9 BLOC, CUBA, DPRY, GUINEA, GUYANA, SYRIA, UAE); URGING US AND FRANCE TO BECOME PARTIES TO ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL I OF TREATY OF TLATELOLCO--115-0-17(US, 9 BLOC, ARGENTIAN, CAR, CUBA, PDRY, FRANCE, GUINEA, GUYANA)

TWO RESES RELATING TO DECLARATION ON INDIAN OCEAN AS ZONE OF PEACE WERE: A) REQUESTING INTER ALIA GREAT POWERS UNCLASSIFIED

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TO REFRAIN FROM INCREASING THEIR MILITARY PRESENCE IN REGION AND REQUESTING STATES OF REGION TO CONSULT WITH VIEW TO CONVENING CONFERENCE ON INDIAN OCEAN--103-0-26(US, 14 WEO'S, O, BLOC, CUBA, ISRAEL); AND B) ENLARGING COMPOSITION OF IOPZ AD HOC COMITE BY NOT MORE THAN THREE MEMBERS--WITHOUT VOTE (SEGEL EXPLAINED THAT IF VOTE HAD BEEN TAKEN, US WOULD HAVE ABSTAINED.). RES CONTINUING WORLD DISARMAMENT COMITE AND INVITING ALL STATES TO SUBMIT COMMENTS TO SYG

WAS ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.

ALSO FOLLOWING SEVEN RESES RELATING TO GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT: A) CONCERNING DISARMAMENT DECADE--WITHOUT VOTE; B, ENDORSING AGREEMENT TO ADD TO CCD MEMBERSHIP GDR, FRG, IRAN, PERU AND ZAIRE--WITHOUT VOTE; C, URGING US AND USSR TO BROADEN SCOPE AND ACCELERATE PACE OF SALT--105-1(ALBANIA)-25(INCLUDING US, UK, FRANCE, FRG, BLOC), WITH CHINA AMONG THOSE ABSENT. RES D ON NON-PROLIFERATION AND PNE'S AS WHOLE WAS ADOPTED 115-3(ALBANIA, CHINA, INDIA)-12(ALGERIA, ARGENTINA, BANGLADESH, BHUTAN, BRAZIL, BURUNDI, CUBA, FRANCE, GUINEA, MARUITIUS, YUGOSLAVIA, ZAMBIA), AFTER SEPARATE VOTES ON: PREAMB PARA 7, 97(US)-3-29; PREAMB PAR 9, 112(US)-1(INDIA)-16; PREAMB PARA 10, 112(US)-1(INDIA)-15; PREAMB PARA 11, 113-1(INDIA)-14(US); OP PARA 4, 113-1(INDIA)-14(US; AND OP PARA 5, 107-1(INDIA)-21(US). RES E, ON AFRICA AS NUCLEAR FREE ZONE WAS ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY, AND SEGEL EXPLAINED US WOULD VOTE FOR IT IN PLENARY BUT BELIEVED IT TOO EARLY TO LIST RESPONSIBILITIES NUCLEAR POWERS SHOULD ASSUME RE AFRICA. RES F, DECIDING TO UNDERTAKE COMPREHENSIVE STUDY OF QUESTION OF NFZ'S IN ALL OF ITS ASPECTS--BY CONSENSUS; AND RESG, ON STRENGTHENING SECURITY OF NON-NUCLEAR WEAPON STATES--WITHOUT VOTE. BY CONSENSUS, IT WAS AGREED TO RECOMMEND UPDATING OF PUBLICATION "UN AND DISARMAMENT."

ON RES RELATING TO ESTABLISHMENT OF MIDDLE EAST NUCLEAR-FREE ZONE, LAST TWO PREAMB PARAS AND OP PARA 3 WERE VOTED TOGETHER AND ACCEPTED 113(US)-0-11(ARGENTIAN, BRAZIL, BURMA, BURUNDI, FRANCE, INDIA, INDONESIA, ISRAEL, SPAIN, TANZANIA, ZAMBIA), WITH FOLLOWING ABSENT: ALBANIA, ALGERIA, BOTSWANA, CHINA, CUBA, PDRY, EQUATORIAL GUINEA, GABON, IRAQ, LIBYA, MALAWI, MALDIVES, SAUDI ARABIA. RES AS WHOLE UNCLASSIFIED

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WAS ADOPTED 128(US)-0-2(BURMA, IRAEL), WITH ABLANIA, GABON, IRAQ, LIBYA, MALAWI, MALDIVES AND SAUDI ARABIA ABSENT. JEGUID (EGYPT) THANKED GA FOR VIRTUALLY UNANIMOUS SUPPORT FOR ME NFZ RES, BUT CHARGED THAT ISRAEL WAS NOT PREPARED TO RENOUNCE ACQUISITION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND WAS INDULGING IN POLICY OF NUCLEAR BLACKMAIL.

RES ON PROHIBITION OF METEOROLOGICAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL WARFARE WAS APPROVED 126-0-5(CHILE, FRANCE, MALI, PARAGUAY, US), WITH ALBANIA, BURUNDI, CHINA, MALDIVES, SAUDI ARABIA AND TOGO ABSENT. FRENCH REP EXPLAINED HE HAD NO OBJECTION TO DRAFT AS WHOLE BUT ABSTAINED BECAUSE OF REFERENCE TO CCD.

RESES ON DECLARATION AND ESTABLISHMENT OF NUCLEAR FREE

ZONE IN SOUTH ASIA WERE: A, CONSIDERING INITIATIVE FOR SA
NFZ SHOULD COME FROM STATES IN REGION CONCERNED--104-1
(DAHOMY)-27(INCLDING US, UK CHINA, BURMA, FIJI, FRANCE,
ISRAEL, MALAYSIA, PAKISTAN, 8 AFRICANS); AND B, INVITING
STATES OF REGION AND OTHER INTERESTED NEIGHBORING STATES
TO INITIATE NECESSARY CONSULTATIONS FOR ESTABLISHING SOUTH
ASIA NFZ--96(CHINA)-2(BHUTAN, INDIA)-36(INCLUDING US, UK,
BLOC, BANGLADESH, BURMA, FIJI, ISRAEL, MALAYSIA, THAILAND).SCALI

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WILLIAMS (SIERRA LEONE) STRESSED THAT ACTIVITIES OF FOREIGN ECONOMIC AND OTHER INTERESTS WERE CONCERN, AND APPEALED TO BELGIUM, FRG, FRANCE, JAPAN, UK AND US TO TAKE NECESSARY MEASURES TO DISCOURAGE THEIR COMPANIES FROM EXPLOITING UNCLASSIFIED

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HUMAN AND NATURAL RESOURCES OF COLONIAL TERRITORIES. HE LOOKED FORWARD TO WELCOMING PAPUA NEW GUINEA IN UN NEXT YEAR AND HOPED ALSO TO WELCOME SEYCHELLES. FLORIN (GDR) WELCOMED BREAKDOWN OF PORTUGUESE COLONIAL EMPIRE AND CONDEMNED THOSE NATIONS WHICH SUPPLIED ARMS AND OTHER MATERIAL ASSISTANCE TO RACIST REGIMES IN SOUTHERN AFRICA. HOLLAI (HUNGARY) EXPRESSED SIMILAR VIEW, ADDING THAT TRIPLE VETO IN SC HAD REJECTED WILL OF VAST MAJORITY OF MEMBER STATES TO OUST SA FROM UN.

CAMPBELL (AUSTRALIA) SAID IT WAS OBVIOUS THAT SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE IN SMALL TERRITORIES WERE NOT SYNONOMOUS. THOUGH EVERY NSGT HAD RIGHT TO INDEPENDENCE, IT ALSO HAD RIGHT TO OPT FOR SOME OTHER STATUS. UN WOULD FAIL ITS OBLIGATION IF IT INSISTED ON INDEPENDENCE, HE SAID, REMARKING THAT ARGUMENT FOR INDEPENDENCE WITHIN UN WAS MADE WITHOUT REFERENCE TO EITHER CIRCUMSTANCES OR DESIRES OF COLONIAL PEOPLE CONCERNED BUT SOLELY IN ATTEMPT TO EMBARRASS ADMINISTERING POWER FOR PARTISIAN POLICY REASONS. AUSTRALIA WAS READY TO ACCEPT, AT APPROPRIATE TIME, VISITING MISSION TO PAPUA NEW GUINEA, HE SAID.

RAE (CANADA) AGREED THAT SELF-DETERMINATION DID NOT ALWAYS MEAN INDEPENDENCE, ESPECIALLY IN RESPECT OF CERTAIN SMALL TERRITORIES. CANADA RECOGNIZED LIBERATION MOVEMENTS OF VARIOUS TERRITORIES REPRESENTED LEGITIMATE ASPIRATIONS OF SIGNIFICANT PROPORTION OF THEIR PEOPLE, BUT CANADA DID NOT SUPPORT MILITARY ACTIVITIES OF THOSE MOVEMENTS. EHSASSI (IRAN) SPOKE FAVORABLY OF NEW PORTUGUESE GOVT, CONTRASTED IT WITH SITUATION IN NAMIBIA AND RHODESIA, AND REITERATED IRAN'S SUPPORT FOR NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS AND EFFICACY OF UN VISITING MISSIONS. HOLGAR (CHILE) PAID TRIBUTE TO PORTUGAL AND ITS LEADERS, AND OBSERVED THAT PROBLEM OF ECONOMIC VIABILITY OF NEWLY LIBERATED TERRITORIES DEMANDED UN'S ATTENTION.

COMITE 1--KOREA RES (L. 676) PASSED

AT COMITE 1 MEETING DEC 9, RES (L.676/REV.1) CALLING ON SOUTH AND NORTH KOREA TO CONTINUE THEIR DIALOGUE WAS

ADOPTED BY ROLL-CALL VOTE 61(US)-42-32, FOLLOWING ADOPTION OF
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SAUDI AMENDMENT 57(US)-43-35. CUBAN PROCEDURAL MOTION
CHALLENGING PRIORITY AMENDED RES L. 676 UNDER RULE 131
WAS DEFEATED 48-50(US)-33; BARBADOS MOTION INVOKING SAME
RULE TO BLOCK VOTE ON ALGERIAN RES L. 677
FOLLOWING PASSAGE OF L. 676 DEFEATED 48(US)-57-30.
ALGERIAN RES DEFEATED BY TIE VOTE 48-48(US)-38 (PROCEDURAL
RULE 133 PROVIDES THAT TIED VOTE CONSTITUTES REJECTION
OF PROPOSAL).

SAUDI RES, ACCEPTED BY COSPONSORS, WOULD AMEND OP PARA
2 OF L. 676 SO GA WOULD: "EXPRESS HOPE THAT SC, BEARING
IN MIND NEED TO ENSURE CONTINUED ADHERENCE TO ARMISTICE
AGREEMENT AND FULL MAINTENANCE OF PEACE AND SECURITY IN
AREA, WILL IN DUE COURSE GIVE CONSIDERATION IN CONSULTATION
WITH PARTIES DIRECTLY CONCERNED, TO THOSE ASPECTS OF KOREAN
QUESTION WHICH FALL WITHIN ITS RESPONSIBILITIES, INCLUDING
DISSOLUTION OF UNC IN CONJUNCTION WITH APPROPRIATE
ARRANGEMENTS TO MAINTAIN ARMISTICE AGREEMENT WHICH IS
CALCULATED TO PRESERVE PEACE AND SECURITY IN KOREAN
PENINSULA, PENDING NEGOTIATIONS AND CONCILIATION BETWEEN
TWO KOREAN GOVTS LEADING TO LASTING PEACE BETWEEN THEM."

EXPLANATIONS OF VOTE FOLLOW. KENYA: (ABSTAINED ON ALL RESES)
"WE KNOW THAT IF TWO KOREAS CALL WITH ONE VOICE FOR ALL
FOREIGNERS TO QUIT THEIR LAND ALL FOREIGNERS WILL GO...
AS NO ADVICE IS SOLITICITED AND AS WE RESPECT BOTH NORTH
AND SOUTH KOREA AS SOVEREIGN AND INDEPENDENCE STATES, WE
CAN ONLY WISH BOTH SUCCESS IN THEIR EFFORTS TO REUNITE....
BUT WE CANNOT TAKE SIDES...." CUBAN REP (ALARCON) SAID US
PREFERRED TO SENT MATTER TO SC TO IMPOSE ON GA "TYRANNY OF ONE"
OF VETO, ADDING US FEARED POWER OF COUNTRIES IN GA INTERESTED
IN PROMOTING PEACE IN KOREA AND REMOVING FOREIGN TROOPS.
MALIK (USSR) ARGUEDTHAT BOTH DRAFT RESES MUST BE VOTED,
ADDING THAT DECISION OF SC TO SEND TROOPS TO KOREA WAS TAKEN
IN ABSENCE OF TWO PERMANENT MEMBERS; QUESTION OF KOREA WAS
RESULT OF PAST UN TYRANNY OF MAJORITY.

PRC REP SAID SAUDI AMENDMENT STILL INTENDED TO SENT MATTER
OF UNC TO SC, WHICH HAD TAKEN ILLEGAL DECISIONS ON KOREA
IN PAST, INTERFERING IN KOREAN INTERNAL AFFAIRS. ASKING
WHETHER SYG HAD RECEIVED REPORTS ON ACTIVITIES OF UNC IN
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KOREA, AND TO WHOM SECOND DIVISION IN DMZ BELONGED, PRC
REP SAID JOKE WAS BEING PLAYED ON KOREAN PEOPLE JUST AS
ON CAMBODIAN PEOPLE; US AND OTHERS WERE USING MANEUVERS
TO HAVE THEIR WAY. VENEZUELAN REP SAID HIS DEL'S INTENT
TO ABSTAIN ON L. 676 HAD CHANGED TO SUPPORT AS AMENDMENTS
IMPROVED TEXT. FRENCH REP SAID UNC WAS ANACHRONISM,
BUT BOTED FOR AMENDED L. 676 BECAUSE IT REPRESENTED DIALOGUE
RATHER THAN CONFRONTATION. SAUDI REP BAROODY SAID HE HAD
TAKEN PAINS IN DRAFTING HIS AMENDMENT TO ENSURE STEPS TO
DISSOLVE UNC; HE COULD BE OBJECTIVE IN KOREAN MATTER
AS SAUDI ARABIA, UNLIKE US, USSR AND PRC, HAD NOT BEEN INVOLVED
IN KOREAN WAR. FOLLOWING DEFEAT OF L 677, BAROODY REITERATED
NEED TO WITHDRAW UN AND US TROOPS, SUGGESTING NEUTRALIZATION
OF KOREA, VIETNAM AND CAMBODIA. HE ADDED THAT HIS DEL ALWAYS
VOTED MERITS OF CASE, WHAT WAS BEST FOR UN, AND SAID SAUDI
ARABIA IS "NOT NEGOTIABLE;" IT IS MEMBER OF "THIRD
WORLD" BUT "THAT DOES NOT COMMIT US TO BEING A SHEEP."

ROK REP TONG JIN PARK CALLED ADOPTED RES ENDORSEMENT OF ROK
POLICY OF PEACE, AND INVITED ALL WHO VOTED FOR OTHER DRAFT TO
VISIT ROK AS GUESTS OF GOK TO SEE KOREAN OPEN SOCIETY.
HE LEFT BEFORE DPRK REP LI JONG MOK'S STATEMENT, WHICH
SAID DECISION WAS COUNTER TO WILL OF KOREAN PEOPLE, ADDING
"THE FUTURE IS OURS... THE KOREAN PEOPLE WILL FORCE WITH-
DRAWAL OF US TROOPS AND ACHIEVE REUNIFICATION."

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COMITE 2 IN DEC 6 AND 9 MEETINGS HEARD EXPLANATIONS OF VOTE ON CERDS BY 25 LDCS, 14 WEOS AND JAPAN, WHICH JOINED WEOS IN REGRETTING FAILURE TO REACH CONSENSUS IN VITAL AREA, PARTICULARLY ARTICLE 2 RELATING TO NATIONALIZATION AND SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES ARISING FROM NATIONALIZATION. SEN PERCY (US) SAID DRAFT WAS UNBALANCED AND FAILED TO CONTRIBUTE TO HARMONIOUS ECON DEVELOPMENT, BUT WOULD DISCOURAGE CAPITAL FLOW VITAL FOR DEVELOPMENT, ADDING THAT SIGNIFICANCE IN INTL ECON RELATIONS OF SMALL NUMBER OF COUNTRIES OPPOSING DRAFT COULD HARDLY BE IGNORED. SWEDISH REP SAID HIS DEL VOTED FOR CERDS BUT OPPOSED ARTICLE 2, PARA 2 ON COMPENSATION IN EVENT OF NATIONALIZATION. LDCS GENERALLY HAILED CERDS AS MILESTONE AND RED-LETTER DAY IN INTL ECON RELATIONS, SEVERAL (VENEZUELA, LIBYA) PARTICULARLY NOTING SOVEREIGN RIGHT TO NATIONALIZE. OTHERS, INCLUDING IRAN, EXPRESSED SUPPORT FOR PRINCIPLE OF NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY AND NATIONALIZATION BUT SAID AFFIRMATIVE VOTE ON ARTICLE 2 IN NO WAY AFFECTED INTL OBLIGATIONS AND BILATERAL AGREEMENTS. MAURITANIA, BURUNDI AND SENEGAL REITERATED OPINION THAT ARTICLE 15 RELATING TO DISARMAMENT WAS ISSUE OF NEGOTIATION BETWEEN GREAT POWERS WHICH WOULD, AS MAURITANIAN REP STATED, TAKE PLACE WHETHER OR NOT LDCS CONSENTED. GDR, SPEAKING ON BEHALF OF EES AND MONGOLIA,

WELCOMED ADOPTION OF CERDS, WHICH HE SAID REFLECTED MANY IDEAS PUT FORWARD BY SOCIALIST STATES, WHICH WOULD HAVE PREFERRED DOCUMENT WITH GREATER POLITICAL EMPHASIS. MEXICAN REP, SUPPORTED BY ALGERIA AND UGANDA, REJECTED NOTION OF TYRANNY OF MAJORITY IN PRESENT UN ACTIONS.

IN DEC 9 MEETING COMITE ALSO ADOPTED WITHOUT VOTE DRAFT RES L. 1395 BRINGING WORLD INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ORGANIZATION (WIPO) INTO RELATIONSHIP WITH UN, AND DRAFT RES L. 1417 RECOMMENDING THAT GA APPROVE OPERATIONAL PROVISIONS FOR SPECIAL FUND FOR EMERGENCY RELIEF AND ASSISTANCE FOR MSAS AND THAT AD HOC COMITE ON FUND SERVE AS ITS BOARD OF GOVERNORS. DRAFT RES L. 1368/REV 2 CONTAINING RECOMMENDATIONS TO EXEC DIR OF UNEP PASSED BY VOTE 111-1(US)-1(UK). PRIOR TO UNEP VOTE, US REP (KLEIN) PROPOSED CHANGING WORDING OF RES TO CALL ON GOVERNING COUNCIL TO REQUEST EXEC DIR TO TAKE NINE ACTIONS, RATHER THAN CALLING DIRECTLY ON EXEC DIR BYPASSING GOVERNING COUNCIL; PROPOSAL WAS REJECTED. NUMEROUS DELS UNCLASSIFIED

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(ITALY, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, FINLAND) EXPRESSED SUPPORT FOR CONCEPT BEHIND US PROPOSAL BUT CONSIDERED IT INHERENT IN DRAFT RES; UK ABSTAINED ON RES AS WHOLE BECAUSE US PROPOSAL FAILED.

COMITE 3 -- CONCLUDES WORK FOR 29TH GA

COMITE 3 CONCLUDED ITS WORK FOR CURRENT GA DEC 6, ADOPTING DRAFT RES L. 2133/REV 1 URGING WIDER ACCEPTANCE OF TWO INTL HUMAN RIGHTS COVENANTS AND A RELATED PROTOCOL ON CIVIL AND PLITICAL RIGHTS 102-0-4(NIGER, RWANDA, SAUDI ARABIA, UGANDA), AND RECOMMENDING THAT ITEMS ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND INTL CONVENTION ON ADOPTION LAW BE INSCRIBED ON PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR 30TH GA. BEFORE ACTING ON L. 2133, COMITE VOTED SEPARATELY AT DANISH REP'S REQUEST TO REJECT 26-33(US)-52 BULGARIAN-BYPRIOT-SYRIAN AMENDMENT L. 2142/REV 1, CUT APPROVED ITS OP PARA 1 (61(US)-0-34, CONTAINING "ALL STATES" CLAUSE. IN RESPONSE TO DANISH REQUEST FOR EXPLANATION BEFORE VOTE, BULGARIAN REP SAID ALL STATES CLAUSE WAS TO BE INTERPRETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PREVIOUS UN PRACTICES AS IN COMITE 3 IWY RES. DANISH REP ACCEPTED AMENDMENT; NO REP INCLUDING SOVIET BLOC OBJECTED TO THIS INTERPRETATION. CHINA DID NOT PARTICIPATE IN VOTE. (OURTEL 5834)

FOLLOWING GENERAL DEBATE STATEMENT ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION BY PHILIPINE REP (SHAHANI) EXPRESSING CONCERN AT COUNTER-PRODUCTIVE LICENSE AND ABUSE OF FREEDOM OF PRESS, SOVIET REP PROPOSED POSTPONEMENT TO 31ST GA, SUPPORTED BY CZECHOSLOVAKIA. NETHERLANDS, BELGIUM AND FRANCE OPPOSED DELAY, FRANCE OFFERING COMPROMISE POSTPONING ITEM WITH CONDITION "OF HIGHEST PRIORITY"

TO 31ST GA. SEPARATE VOTES ON THESE PROPOSALS LEFT ITEM
ON AGENDA OF 30TH GA (SOVIET PROPOSAL REJECTED 29-35-30)
"WITH HIGHEST PRIORITY," ADOPTED 65-23-30.

ECOSOC DEFERRED CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION LAW ITEM AS
ONLY 22 GOVTS REPLIED TO QUESTIONNAIRE ON SUBJECT BY END OF
1973; LIBERIAN REP EXPRESSED DISAPPOINTMENT EXPRESSING HOPE
THAT CONCRETE PROPOSALS ON SUBJECT WOULD BE PREPARED
DURING COMMISSION FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT MEETING IN JANUARY
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COMITE 4 IN DEC 9 MEETING ADOPTED DRAFT RES L. 1085, SPONSORED BY FIJI, GHANA, KENYA, MALAYSIA, NIGERIA, SIERRA LEONE, AND TANZANIA, CALLING ON ADMINISTERING POWERS TO IMPLEMENT DECLARATION ON DECOLONIZATION IN PACIFIC TERRITORIES (AMERICAN SAMOA, GUAM, NEW HEBRIDES, PITCAIRN, ST. HELENA, AND SOLOMON IS.), 79-1(FRANCE)-18. RES CALLS ON ADMINISTERING POWERS TO ESTABLISH SPECIFIC TIMETABLE FOR FREE EXERCISE BY PEOPLES OF TERRITORIES OF THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE. DE LATAILLADE(FRANCE) AND LPES DA FONSECA (PORTUGAL) EXPLAINED NEGATIVE VOTE AND ABSTENTION, RESPECTIVELY, AS OBJECTION TO OP PARA 10 REITERATING DEEP CONCERN AT NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTING "WHICH CONTINUED TO TAKE PLACE IN 1974 IN SOUTH PACIFIC DESPITE STRONG OPPOSITION "SHOWN BY GA RES 3156, COMITE OF 24 REPORT, AND PEOPLES OF AREA, AND TO OP PARA 12 DRAWING ATTENTION TO NEED TO INTENSIFY DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION ON DECOLONIZATION IN RESPECT OF TERRITORIES CONCERNED. RICHARDSON (UK) SAID UK ABSTAINED DUE TO DISCONTENT WITH COMITE OF 24 CONCLUSIONS RE: ST. HELENA, PREFERRING PHRASE "SELF-DETERMINATION INCLUDING RIGHT TO INDEPENDENCE;" AND DUE TO RESERVATIONS REGARDING ESTABLISHMENT OF SPECIFIC TIME-TABLES FOR INDEPENDENCE AND OP PARA 5 ON MILITARY BASES. (REPEATED INFO SUVA, INTERIOR FOR OMSN AND DOTA)

COMITE 5 --

DEC. 9 COMITE TOOK UP ITEM 83 (JOINT STAFF PENSION BOARD), AND SOVIETS INTRODUCED FOUR-POWER DRAFT DECISION (L. 1206) ON ENLARGING COMITE OF ACTUARIES. USYG DAVIDSON SAID SYG COULD NOT AMEND ART. 9 OF REGULATIONS AND RULES OF JSPF, BUT ONLY GA AFTER CONSULTATION WITH JSPB. US (STOTTLEMYER) PROPOSED ENLARGING COMITE FROM THREE TO FOUR INDEPENDENT ACTUARIES AND REQUESTING BOARD TO APPLY IN FUTURE PRINCIPLES OF ROTATION OF MEMBERSHIP TO STAGGER TERMS OF OFFICE SO ONE NEW APPOINTMENT WOULD TAKE PLACE EACH YEAR, AND REQUESTING PENSION BOARD TO RECOMMEND TO SYG IN ACCORDANCE WITH ART. 9 OF REGULATIONS THAT APPROPRIATE AMENDMENTS BE MADE. FRG REP HAD PROPOSED AMENDMENT, BUT WITHDREW IT BECAUSE US PROPOSAL TOOK CARE OF HIS PROBLEM. SOVIETS ASKED FOR ROLL-CALL VOTE, AND L. 1206 AS REVISED WAS

ADOPTED 42(BLOC, FRANCE,ITALY-17(US, WEO'S)-33(CHINA, JAPAN,
TANZANIA).
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CUBAN DEL PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HIS L. 1201, AND USYG DAVIDSON
ASSURED COMITE THAT IF DRAFT PARA APPROVED AS AMENDMENT IT
WOULD NOT REQUIRE ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS. STOTTLEMYER
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS: "(D) A PROFILE OF THE INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO
AS OF 31 DEC. 1974"; "(E) A STATEMENT OF PROFIT AND LOSS FROM
THE SALE OF SECURITIES"; AND ADDITION AT END
OF PARA OF "THE INFO PROVIDED SHALL BE CONSIDERED WITHIN THE
CONTEXT OF ART 19 OF THE REGS AND RULES OF UN JSPF."
AMENDMENTS TO PARA (D) APPROVED 29(US)-28-27,AND TO PARA
(E), 35(US)-21-27, AND CUBAN DRAFT PARA L. 1201 AS WHOLE WAS ADOPTED
82-0-6. CUBAN DRAFT PARA L. 1202 WAS REJECTED 24(US)-29-31.

ARGENTINA, GUYANA AND AUSTRIA ORALLY PROPOSED INCREASE
FROM \$50,000 TO \$100,000 FOR EMERGENCY FUND UNDER PART
IV, A/C.5/L.1207, VOTE AS 43-17-25, AND VOTE ON L. 1207
(DELETING PARA 28 UNDER IV) WAS 77-10-1.

UN EMERGENCY PROGRAM --

AD HOC COMITE (AHC) ON UN EMERGENCY PROGRAM (ITEM 98) MET
DEC 6 TO ADD NEW ART VII ON FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS AND NEW OP
PARA 2, ESTABLISHING THAT FINANCIAL REGULATIONS AND RULES OF
UN SHALL APPLY TO SPECIAL FUND UNTIL GA APPROVES FUND'S
REGULATIONS AND RULES, AND REQUESTING SYG TO REPORT ADMINISTRATIVE
ARRANGEMENTS FOR FUND INCLUDING PROPOSED FINANCIAL REGULATIONS
AND RULES TO 30TH GA THROUGH ECOSOC 59TH SESSION. GROUP (ALL
WEOS, PAKISTAN AND INDIA) DISCUSSED POSSIBLE EXTENSION OF
PREBISCH MANDATE; CHAIRMAN (ALGARD, NORWAY) SUGGESTED THAT
SPECIAL FUND EXDIR BE FILLED BY INTERIM APPOINTMENT OF SYG STAFF
MEMBER WHO ALSO HAS OTHER SUBSTANTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES,
GENERALLY ACCEPTABLE TO MOST DELS. CHAIRMAN, NETHERLANDS,
PAKISTAN PROPOSED THAT AHC BECOME FIRST BOARD OF GOVERNORS,
MAINLY BECAUSE DIFFICULTIES IN REDETERMINATION OF REGIONAL
DISTRIBUTION AND SELECTION OF REPS ARE EXPECTED. (UNCLASSIFIED --
OURTEL 5823)

IHHSF --

AT ECOSOC PPCC MEETING DEC 6 FRENCH INTRODUCED WIDE-SWEEPING
AMENDMENTS TO JAMAICA-KENYA RES, AS AMENDED BY US, ON
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RATIONALIZATION OF ACTIVITIES OF INTL HABITAT AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS FOUNDATION (IHHSF) AND CENTRE FOR HOUSING, BUILDING AND PLANNING, FOLLOWED BY TRINIDADIAN AMENDMENT WHICH WOULD PUT DECISION OFF TO 1976 VANCOUVER CONFERENCE. EMERGENT PLAN, WHICH UNQUESTIONABLY WILL RECEIVE WIDE SUPPORT, IS ACHIEVEMENT OF RATIONALIZATION QUITE DIFFERENT FROM US CONCEPT: A) GREATLY NARROWING FOUNDATION FUNCTIONS TO ESSENTIALLY FINANCIAL MATTERS; AND B) HAVING FOUNDATION USE CENTER FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PURPOSES. (UNCLASSIFIED -- OURTEL 5825)

FORMER ETHIOPIAN FONMIN'S PRESS CONFERENCE --

FOLLOWING HIS DISMISSAL AS ETHIOPIAN FONMIN, ZEWDE GABRE-SELASSIE TOLD PRESS HE DISASSOCIATED HIMSELF FROM SUMMARY EXECUTIONS AND OTHER EXCESSES OF POWER IN ADDIS ABABA AND HE DID NOT PLAN TO RETURN TO ETHIOPIA FOR TIME BEING. (OURTEL 5813)

DEMONSTRATION AT ISRAELI CONSULATE GENERAL --

ABOUT 35 MEMBERS OF SAVE OUR ISRAEL AND JDL HELD "DUMP KISSINGER" DEMONSTRATION IN FRONT OF ISRAELI CONSULATE GENERAL DEC. 8 PROTESTING AGAINST US GOVT'S POLICIES IN ME AND TO SHOW SOLIDARITY WITH ISRAEL. (OURTEL 5847)

UN MEETINGS DEC. 10 --

A.M. - GA PLENARY, COMITES 2, 4, AND 5

P.M. - GA PLENARY, COMITES, 1, AND 2

8:00 P.M. - COMITE 5
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